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Lee M. Jackwig

Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1950

Education: Loyola (Chicago) 1972 BA; DePaul 1975 JD

Began Service: November 3, 1986

Term Expires: November 2, 2014

Government: Assistant Attorney General, State of Iowa (1976-1979); Deputy Industrial Commissioner, State of Iowa (1979-1983); Assistant United States Attorney, Southern District of Iowa, Department of Justice (1983-1986)

Current Memberships: American Bankruptcy Institute; American Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Iowa Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; Polk County Bar Association; Polk County Women Attorneys Association

Staff

Law Clerk **Robert C. Gainer** (515) 284-6229

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United States District Court for the District of Kansas

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Number of Judgeships: 6

Court Staff

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Education: Loretto Heights 1974 BA; Northern Colorado 1975 MA; Washburn 1983 JD

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Education: Kansas 1991 BA, 1995 BS

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Education: Indiana 1985 BS; Valparaiso 1988 JD

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Education: Wichita State 1982 MA

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John Watson Lungstrum

Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1945

Education: Yale 1967 BA; Kansas 1970 JD

Began Service: 1991

Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

Legal Practice: Associate, Latham & Watkins (1970-1971); Partner, Stevens, Brand, Lungstrum, Golden & Winter (1972-1991)

Military Service: United States Army (1970-1972); United States Army Reserve (1972-1976)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Douglas County Bar Association; Johnson County Bar Association; Kansas Bar Association; Wyandotte County Bar Association

Staff

Law Clerk I **Kelly A. McCaffrey** (913) 551-6740
Education: Kansas 1995 JD

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Education: Kansas 2000 JD

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Education: Duke 2004 JD

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Monti L. Belot

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1943

Education: Kansas 1965 BA, 1968 JD

Began Service: 1991

Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

Clerkships: Law Clerk, The Honorable Wesley E. Brown, United States District Court for the District of Kansas (1971-1973)

Chambers of District Judge Monti L. Belot continued

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, District of Kansas, Department of Justice (1973-1976); Special Assistant United States Attorney, District of Kansas, Department of Justice (1976-1978)

Legal Practice: Partner, FLP II (1979-1989); Weeks, Thomas & Lysaught (1976-1983); Hall, Levy, Lively, DeVore, Belot & Bell (1983-1991)

Military Service: United States Navy (1968-1971); United States Naval Reserve (1971-1986)

Staff
Law Clerk **John Broomes** (312) 269-6699

Chambers of District Judge Kathryn Hoefer Vratil

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Kathryn Hoefer Vratil

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1949

Education: Kansas 1971 BA, 1975 JD

Began Service: October 30, 1992

Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

Political Affiliation: Republican

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Earl E. O'Connor, United States District Court for the District of Kansas (1975-1978)

Judicial: Municipal Judge, City of Prairie Village (1990-1992)

Legal Practice: Associate then Partner, Lathrop & Norquist (1978-1992)

Current Memberships: American Bar Foundation; Association of Women Lawyers of Kansas City; Earl E. O'Connor American Inn of Court; Federal Judges Association; Johnson County Bar Association; Johnson County Bar Foundation; Kansas Bar Association; Kansas Bar Foundation; Kansas City Metropolitan Area Bar Association; Lawyers' Association of Kansas City; National Association of Women Judges; Wyandotte County Bar Association

Staff

Law Clerk **Robin Carlson** (913) 551-6552
Education: Hastings Col 1987 BA; Washburn 2004 JD

Law Clerk **Brett Gordon** (913) 551-6551
Education: Chicago 1990 BA; Pennsylvania 1994 JD

Law Clerk **Angela Gupta** (913) 551-6619
Education: Kansas 1988 BS; Pennsylvania 1991 JD

Law Clerk **Mary Matthews** (913) 551-6619
Education: Kansas 1978 BS; Emporia State 1981 MS; Washburn 1991 JD

Court Reporter **Teri Hallberg** (913) 551-5647

Courtroom Deputy Clerk **Linda South** (913) 551-6539

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J. Thomas Marten

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1951

Education: Washburn 1973 BA, 1976 JD

Began Service: January 5, 1996

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton



Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Tom Clark, Supreme Court of the United States (1976-1977)

Legal Practice: Associate, Kutak Rock Cohen Campbell Garfinkle & Woodward (1977-1980); Kutak Rock & Huie (1980-1981); Associate, Bremyer & Wise P.A. (1981-1982); Shareholder, Bremyer & Wise P.A. (1982-1996)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation; Federal Judges Association; Kansas Bar Association; Minnesota State Bar Association; Wichita Bar Association

Staff

Law Clerk **Elizabeth Abraham** (316) 269-6578

Education: American U 2004 JD

Law Clerk **Brian P. Wood** (316) 269-6578

Education: Pittsburg State 1983 BA; Kansas 1986 JD

Judicial Assistant **Ruth Thompson** (316) 269-6578

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Carlos Murguia

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1957

Education: Kansas 1979 BS, 1982 JD

Began Service: September 8, 1999

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Government: Coordinator of Immigration Amnesty Program, El Centro, Inc. (1985-1990)

Judicial: Small Claims Court Judge/Judge Pro Tem (part-time), Wyandotte County District Court (1984-1990); District Court Judge, Wyandotte County District Court

Legal Practice: Attorney, Zeigler Legal Services, Chartered (1982-1985)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Hispanic National Bar Association; Kansas Bar Association; Wyandotte County Bar Association

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